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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA

STATE CORPORATION COMMISSION

AT RICHMOND, NOVEMBER 13, 1998

APPLICATION OF

VIRGINIA ELECTRIC AND POWER COMPANY CASE NO. PUE980727

To revise its fuel factor pursuant to Virginia Code § 56-249.6

ORDER GRANTING MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

On October 19, 1998, Virginia Electric and Power Company ("Virginia Power" or "the Company") filed with the Commission an application, exhibits, and a proposed tariff intended to increase its current fuel factor from 1.050¢ per kWh to 1.152¢ per kWh, effective December 1, 1998. On October 21, 1998, the Commission issued an Order Establishing 1998-99 Fuel Factor Proceeding ("the Order"). Pursuant to Paragraph (10) of the Order, on or before October 30, 1998, Virginia Power was required to serve a copy of the Order on the officials of the counties, cities, and towns in which Virginia Power offers service.

On November 12, 1998, the Company filed with the Commission a motion requesting an extension of time in which to

provide notice to local government officials of Virginia Power's 1998-99 Fuel Factor proceeding. Virginia Power states that, due to an oversight, it has not served a copy of the Order on the local government officials, as required by Paragraph (10) of the Order. Accordingly,

IT IS ORDERED THAT:

- (1) Virginia Power shall serve a copy of both the October 21, 1998, Order and this Order on the County Attorney and Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of each county (or equivalent officials in counties having alternate forms of government) in which the Company offers service, and on the Mayor or Manager and the Attorney of every city and town (or an equivalent official in cities and towns having alternate forms of government) in which the Company offers service. Service shall be made as soon as possible.
- (2) The time within which any local government or municipality may file a Notice of Protest shall be extended from November 10, 1998, to November 20, 1998; and the time within which such entity may file a Protest and prepared testimony and exhibits shall be extended from November 16, 1998, to November 25, 1998.
- (3) In the event that any local government official is unable, for good cause shown, to file the documents within the

prescribed time periods, it may file an appropriate motion with the Commission.

(4) All provisions of the October 21, 1998, Order not modified herein shall remain in effect.